IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF YAVAPAI

DIVISION: 6

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HON. THOMAS B. LINDBERG

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CASE NO. P1300CR20081339

DATE: January 29, 2010

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DATE: Jan. 29, 2010

<u>5:00</u> O'Clock <u>P.M.</u> JEANNE HICKS, CLERK

TITLE:

COUNSEL:

STATE OF ARIZONA

Yavapai County Attorney

Joseph Butner, Deputy County Attorney

(For Plaintiff)

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vs.

John Sears

107 North Cortez Street, Suite 104

Prescott, AZ 86301

(D-1)

STEVEN CARROLL DEMOCKER

(Plaintiff)

Larry Hammond Anne Chapman

OSBORN MALEDON, P.A.

2929 North Central Avenue, 21st Floor

Phoenix, AZ 85012

(For Defendant)

HEARING ON: Status Conference

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS

COURT REPORTER

Roxanne Tarn

START TIME: 1:30 p.m.

APPEARANCES:

Joseph Butner, Deputy County Attorney

Jack Fields, Deputy County Attorney Steven DeMocker, Defendant, *In Custody*

Anne Chapman, Counsel for the Defendant, Appearing Telephonically

Larry Hammond, Counsel for the Defendant

Christopher Dupont, Counsel for the Victims, Appearing Telephonically

This is the time set for a STATUS CONFERENCE.

The Court and counsel review the motion to compel prosecution to honor victim's rights.

Counsel for the State requests the Court hold the motion in abeyance as the parties work towards a resolution.

Counsel Dupont advises he is agreeable to the Court holding the motion in abeyance.

The Court holds the motion to compel prosecution to honor victim's rights in abeyance until either of the parties advises the Court further discussion and/or argument is necessary.

Counsel for the State advises he has filed a response to the motion to release personal property filed by Counsel Dupont.

Counsel argues the motion.

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The Court and counsel review scheduling.

The Court set a hearing to address the motion to release personal property of Katie Democker on **February 4**, **2010 at 3:00 p.m.** before the Honorable Thomas B. Lindberg, Division 6, Yavapai Superior Court, Prescott, Arizona.

The Court and counsel review the Jury Questionnaire.

The Court excuses Counsel Dupont.

Counsel argues the motion regarding access to materials for the Defendant and the renewed motion to modify release conditions.

At 2:25 p.m., Court reconvenes with the presence of Counsel and the Defendant.

Counsel continues argument.

The Court will not require the Defendant or Defense Counsel to be present at the February 4, 2010 hearing.

Counsel Hammond advises he will notify the Court if he or the Defendant wants to be present during the February 4, 2010 hearing.

Counsel Chapman advises she plans to file an omnibus motion with a request to be heard at the March 2, 2010 hearing.

The Court confirms the current settings for hearings.

The Court takes the renewed motion to modify release conditions under advisement. The Court directs counsel to supplement the motion as necessary.

END TIME: 2:46 p.m.

cc:

VS (e)

Dean Trebesch (Contract Administrator) (PD) (e) Christopher DuPont, Trautman DuPont PLC, 245 W Roosevelt, Ste. A Phoenix, AZ 85003, Counsel for Victims Charlotte and Katherine DeMocker